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MURPHY

L. M. Mitchell and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Leith and Wheeler Osborn spent a couple of days down Rogue river fishing.

George Vining is building a house on his homestead above the Dahlberg ranch.

Murphy was well represented at the Pomona meeting in Fruitdale last Saturday. Each master present appointed a day for beet men to speak in their locality. L. M. Mitchell, master of Murphy grange, invited the gentlemen to come Tuesday evening, November 3.

Lester Darnielle has returned home after spending the summer with a surveying party in eastern Oregon. Dr. and Mrs. Sweeney entertained friends for a few days who were on their way home from the exposition.

A great deal of enthusiasm was manifested by those who listened to the various speakers in regard to beet culture Tuesday evening. The stormy weather no doubt kept many at home. The long haul seems to be the greatest difficulty.

The Murphy school has added basketball to its equipment.

A big dance Saturday night in the grange hall with Kellogg's music insures everybody a good time.

MERLIN

A crew of men and several teams are busy cutting and hauling Christmas trees to Merlin for shipment to Los Angeles for the holiday trade.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry have moved to their ranch a mile from town, having rented their hotel to Marion Griffin.

D. W. Mitchell, who lost his store two weeks ago in the fire, is again doing business in the building lately used as a barber shop. The stock of goods, though slightly damaged, was saved from the fire.

J. C. Cochrane returned Wednesday from Michigan, where he spent the past month with his parents and brother and sister. Another brother,

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"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists, etc. a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Grants Pass and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Geo. C. Sabin.

whose home is at Myrtle Creek, made the trip with him.

Tobe Martin left Tuesday for Portland, where he will spend the winter with his daughters.

Several ladies went to Hugo Thursday, where they spent the day at the home of Mrs. Martin, the occasion being a dinner and a meeting of the Mission circle.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 7 of Josephine County, State of Oregon, that a special school meeting of said district will be held at Central school building on the 27th day of November, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The purposes for which the money to be raised by this levy shall be expended are shown by the following itemized budget, which is hereby made a part of this notice:

Teachers' salaries.....	\$23,925.00
Furniture.....	200.00
Apparatus.....	500.00
Library books.....	100.00
Repairs of school houses, outbuildings, etc.....	1,000.00
Playground apparatus.....	100.00
Transportation of pupils.....	360.00
Janitors' salaries.....	1,950.00
Janitors' supplies.....	1,500.00
Fuel.....	500.00
Light.....	175.00
Clerk's salary.....	240.00
Postage and stationery.....	75.00
Interest on bonds.....	4,315.00
Sinking fund.....	2,700.00

Total.....\$36,740.00

Dated this 27th day of October, 1915.

EDWARD S. VANDYKE,

District Clerk.

L. B. HALL,

3t Chairman Board of Directors.

ARREST TWO GIRLS FOR PILFERING FROM HOTEL ROOM

Portland, Nov. 6.—Pleasant, indeed, was the fragrance of a dainty, lace-bordered handkerchief Frank Fernald found in his hotel room. Fernald thought it quite romantic, until he missed his watch and \$12. He appealed to the police and Miss Lena Scheel and Miss Laura Johnson, roomers in the same hotel, today face a larceny charge. The sleuths traced the "hanky" to Miss Johnson and Miss Scheel is said to have admitted pawing the watch.

ANOTHER MEMBER OF ARSON GANG FOUND GUILTY

Portland, Nov. 6.—Another member of the coast-wide arson syndicate is awaiting sentence today. Mordie Keeney, former lieutenant of the Portland fire department, was found guilty in Circuit Judge Gantenbein's court on the charge of burning a residence for the \$800 insurance.

Keeney was convicted principally on the testimony of other confessed incendiaries.

INQUIRE INTO TREATMENT OF STATE SCHOOL INMATES

Portland, Nov. 6.—An inquiry into the treatment of inmates of the State Industrial School for Girls at Salem will be held at Salem Monday.

Mrs. Lola G. Baldwin, of the advisory board of the school, today called a meeting for the purpose. The immediate cause for calling the meeting was the treatment alleged to have been given Genevieve Foster by Mrs. Hopkins, superintendent of the school.

Old newspapers, five and ten cent bundles, at the Courier Office.

FOOTBALL GAME AT LOS ANGELES IS POSTPONED

Los Angeles, Nov. 6.—Following a clash between representatives of Oregon University and the University of Southern California, the football game, scheduled for this afternoon at Bovard field, was postponed until 3 p. m. Monday on account of rain.

A considerable battle took place before Oregon agreed to a postponement. Oregon was determined to play this afternoon. Warren Bovard, athletic instructor of the U. S. C., strenuously objected.

It looked like a deadlock for a while, but finally Manager Tiffany of Oregon consented to the delay. It was announced that the big game would be staged Monday afternoon, "rain or shine."

HUNT FOR BLISTERS ON FEET AFTER 8-MILE WALK

(By United Press Leased Wire.)

Vancouver Barracks, Wash., Nov. 6.—The regular army soldiers stationed here were hoping today that foot inspection will not come again soon. After being marched eight miles carrying full field equipment, the army men exposed their "tootsies" in the cold breeze while the surgeons looked for blisters.

EXEMPT WHEAT VESSELS FROM WAR REQUISITION

Washington, Nov. 6.—Exemption of wheat vessels from military requisition will be made by England, the state department was advised today.

The order applies only to British vessels loading in America before December 17. It is expected to increase shipments of wheat to the allies.

WAR STOPS SUPPLY OF LIMBURGER CHEESE

Portland, Nov. 6.—Limburger cheese was so strong here today that the wholesalers were not quoting prices on it. Lack of supply, due to the war, has created such an erratic market that most of the dealers have stopped sending out quotations for future delivery.

"LANKY BOB'S" WIFE IS REPORTED DEMENTED

Los Angeles, Nov. 6.—Surgeons who examined the mental state of Mrs. Bob Fitzsimmons, confined at the county hospital, today sent her husband, the former pugilist, a report indicating that she was probably slightly deranged. Word was also sent to her relatives in New Jersey with a view toward having them take her home.

GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY LEAVES FOR THE EAST

Salem, Nov. 6.—George Palmer Putnam, secretary to the governor, will leave tonight for New York on business in connection with his father's estate. While east he will look into the administration of Sing Sing prison and the Minnesota state penitentiary at the request of Governor Withycombe.

TO DISTRIBUTE OREGON FIR FROM YARD IN CHICAGO

Portland, Nov. 6.—The Booth-Kelly Lumber company has established a yard in Chicago for the distribution of Oregon fir, General Manager A. C. Dixon announced today.

Sixty-five cars of lumber have already been shipped to the new yard and 75 are on the way. The Chicago yard will increase the demand for Oregon fir, because eastern orders can be filled more promptly.

Dixon just returned to Portland from Chicago, where he arranged for the opening of the yard.

SAVE ALL ON BOARD STEAMSHIP FT. BRAGG

San Diego, Nov. 6.—Latest advice today from the United States cruiser San Diego at Point Palma off the west coast of Mexico, are that all who were on board the wooden steamship Fort Bragg, which went ashore there late yesterday, are safe on the beach. They were to be taken on the cruiser today. The Fort Bragg, a vessel of 700 tons, was dashed to pieces by the high seas after hitting the rocks. There were 24 passengers and a crew of 33 on board. The Fort Bragg was bound from Salina Cruz to San Francisco with a cargo of ores, limes and hides.

SALEM BOY KILLED BY S. P. FREIGHT TRAIN

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
Salem, Nov. 6.—An attempt to board a Southern Pacific freight train today cost the life of Clifford Busey, aged 17. His body was ground to pieces.

MEMORIES OF THE PAST.

Congress Gaiters and Herdies and Carpet Bags and the Like.

A London journalist asks, "Where are those elastic side boots, beloved by the men and women of the sixties?" He probably refers to the boots known in this country as "congress gaiters." Why "congress?" Countrymen visiting Washington thought that members of congress always drank congress water. Perhaps they did, undoubtedly they needed it. But did they necessarily wear congress gaiters? The true western statesman was proud of his leg boots. The popularity of the congress gaiter in this country was due to the ease with which it was put on. It was the shoe for fat men, for indolent persons, for those that were mentally down at the heel, discouraged and depressed.

Where are those shoes now? But what has become of all the herdies and where is Peter Herdie? Where are all the old fashioned carpet bags, the moss agate rings and sleeve buttons, the hair jewelry, the mustache cups and napkin bands? Where are the revolving casters that were once the center ornament of the dining room table? "What will you have from the custer?" Where are the clinking silver plated ice water pitchers, with gold lined goblets, that stood on the sideboard or on the table in the directors' room of a bank or office of some corporation? What an amazing amount of junk there must be in this world, including novels that were for a time prodigiously popular, serious books that were once called definite, final, epoch making—Philip Hale in Boston Herald.

30 ARMED UTE ON WAR PATH AT WHITE ROCK RESERVATION

Salt Lake City, Nov. 6.—Barri-caded in old government buildings on the White Rock reservation, thirty armed Utes today threatened an uprising similar to the one which brought Chief of Staff Scott of the United States army out on a peace mission last spring.

Defiant, they threaten to attack the Vernal jail unless imprisoned Indians are released. The sagebrush country, indented with gullies, is a natural battlefield. Reinforcements have gone from Roosevelt to aid Sheriff Murray and five deputies, repulsed while attempting to arrest two Indians who shot a peace officer Tuesday.

TRACTION MAGNATE DEAD

Philadelphia, Nov. 6.—P. A. B. Widener, 80 years old, one of the best known traction magnates in the country, died here today of old age.

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GENERALS VILLA AND OBREGON MAY COMBINE FORCES

(By United Press Leased Wire.)
Washington, Nov. 6.—General Villa "like an angry bulldog" is driving across Sonora, levying tribute from the country, while the Carranzistas are making tardy efforts against him, General Funston reported to the war department today.

Villa said he was heading for Hermosillo. General Urbajello's 1,800 Yaquis have left Nogales by rail for the south. Twenty-six hundred cavalrymen are moving on Imuris from Cocostera.

General Calles, Carranzista, did not attempt to pursue them until yesterday. Funston believes the real campaign against Villa will open when General Obregon reaches Aguaprieta tomorrow.

The Montezuma Copper company and the El Tigre company, Funston heard, have refused to pay Villa \$25,000 in gold each, despite threats.

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